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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 41552  
Hong, Zhi : Confirmation Number: 9432  
Application No.: 10/535,742 : Group Art Unit: 1623  
Filed: September 25, 2006 : Examiner: LEWIS, Patrick T.

For: SUGAR MODIFIED NUCLEOSIDES AS VIRAL REPLICATION INHIBITORS

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

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Responsive to the Office Action mailed June 6, 2008, entry of the Amendments below and consideration of the following Remarks is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.